

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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**Mitsuaki KOMINO et al.** )  
) Group Art Unit: 1763  
Serial No.: 09/667,777 )  
) Examiner: R. Zervigon  
Filed: September 22, 2000 )  
) Confirmation No.: 1267  
For: ELECTRODE, SUSCEPTOR, )  
PLASMA PROCESSING ) **MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE**  
APPARATUS AND METHOD )  
OF MAKING THE ELECTRODE )  
AND THE SUSCEPTOR )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 and subject to the recommendation of the  
Examiner and the approval of the Director, and without withdrawing the case from issue,  
kindly amend the subject application as follows:

**Amendments to the Drawings** are included in the attached replacement  
drawing sheet. The amendments are discussed in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.